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Remarks/Arguments:

The present invention relates to an antenna switch module for switching antennas. Specifically, the length of an adjustment line within the switch is adjusted for altering impedances.

On page 9, the Official Action states that claims 4-6 and 8 would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claims from which they depend.

Accordingly, Applicants have amended claim 4 to be written in independent form including the limitations of now cancelled claims 1, 2 and 3. Applicants have also amended claim 8 to be in independent form including all of the limitations of now cancelled claim 1. Claim 7 has been cancelled and the dependency of claims 9, 10 and 11 have been changed to now depend on the allowable claims 4 and 8. Thus, claims 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 are all in allowable form.

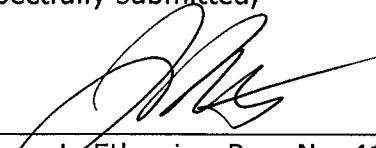
New dependent claims 12, 13, 14 and 15 have been added to the application. New claims 12 and 13 which are dependent on allowable claim 8 include the limitations of cancelled claims 2 and 3. Support for new dependent claims 14 and 15 can be found in Applicants' specification on page 16, lines 27-29 and page 8, lines 9-11 respectively. No new matter has been added.

New claims 12, 13, 14 and 15 include all of the features of allowable independent claim 8 from which they depend. Thus, these claims are also patentable over the art of record for the reasons set forth above.

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In view of the amendments set forth above, the above-identified application is in the condition for allowance which action is respectfully requested.

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